Atty. Docket No.: LeA 34 992

PreCempt 4/A MI

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANTS: Fahrig, et al.

SERIAL NO.: New filing

FILING DATE: herewith

TITLE: Use of Chromans

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This Preliminary Amendment is submitted in the above-captioned application. Please amend the application as follows:

## In the Claims

Please cancel claims 3 and 4.

Please amend claims 1 and 2, as shown in the attached sheets. A marked version of the claim set showing the changes made is also attached.

## Remarks

By way of this Preliminary Amendment, claims 1 and 2 are pending. Claims 3 and 4 have been cancelled, and claims 1 and 2 have been amended. These claim cancellations and